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The Honorable Gregory M. Sleet United States District Court 844 North King Street Lock Box 19 Wilmington, DE 19801

> RE: Lemon Bay Partners, LLP v. Hammonds, et al., Civil Action No. 05-327-GMS; and Donald F. Benoit v. Hammonds, et al., Civil Action No. 05-361-GMS

Dear Judge Sleet:

The parties are filing together with this letter a proposed Stipulated Order Consolidating Actions and Appointing Co-Lead Counsel. Pursuant to Rule 42(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, the proposed order consolidates the two closely-related derivative actions pending before the Court, Lemon Bay Partners, LLP v. Bruce L. Hammonds, et al., Civil Action No. 05-327-GMS, and Donald F. Benoit v. Bruce L. Hammonds, et al., Civil Action No. 05-361-GMS. The proposed order would establish a comprehensive, agreed-upon schedule that would result in substantial efficiencies both for the Court and the parties and that would facilitate coordination with the other related actions pending before this Court.

If Your Honor has any questions, I am available at the convenience of the Court.

Respectfully,

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